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In re Application of:

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on June 11, 2004, to which a response is due on September 11, 2004. The deadline for response is November 11, 2004, by virtue of the enclosed Petition for Extension of Time and payment of fees. Should any additional fees be due, or should the enclosed check be missing, applicants authorize the Commissioner to debit Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Acct. No. UTSC:691USC1/SLH. Please date stamp and return the enclosed postcard as evidence of receipt.

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